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### KILLED AT MURRAY.

Hardy Keys Shot Dead by  
Sheriff Holland.

Trouble Resulted From The Re-  
newal of an Old  
Quarrel.

Murray, Ky., Feb. 8.—A most deplorable tragedy occurred about 9 o'clock Friday night here.

Hardy G. Keys, one of the most prominent citizens of the town, was shot twice and almost instantly slain by L. Walter Holland, sheriff of Calloway county. The killing followed a fuss over a private difference between the men.

Conflicting stories are told, but it is said several men were sitting in an office, when some one was heard outside about the door, which opened on the street. Holland went to the door and found Keys there and invited him to come in.

There had previously been bad feeling between the men and Keys declined to come in. Holland then replied, "It is cold out here, and you might as well come in as to stand at the door."

Keys replied "It is none of your d—d business" and pulling a knife advanced upon Holland, who warned him to stand back. As he continued to advance, Holland drew a pistol and fired twice, one bullet going through Keys' stomach and the other through the lower portion of his body. Keys fell and died in four minutes.

Mr. Keys was 40 years old. He was a tobacco buyer, a married man and leaves a wife and two children. He was a nephew of Hon. Ben Keys, former candidate for congress, and a brother of John H. Keys, county clerk of Calloway county and editor of the Murray Ledger. He had always taken an active interest in politics. He was a brother of the late Butler Keys, former county judge of Calloway. The family is one of the largest and most influential in Calloway county.

Both gentlemen were men of influence and very popular with all classes at Murray and throughout Calloway county. Mr. Keys was interested in one of the largest tobacco enterprises at Murray, operating one of the extensive warehouses just across the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis railway tracks from the depot at Murray. He was also the first railroad agent at Murray, being appointed to the agency when a line first reached that city in the old P.T. & A. days.

Sheriff Holland is one of the most prominent and influential men in Calloway county. He is about 45 years of age and has a wife and family. He has lived most of his life in Murray. He was elected sheriff two years ago. Prior to that time he was city marshal of Murray for one term.

Sheriff Holland is regarded as a quiet, peaceable man, brave as a lion, though in no sense a man given to a free resort to arms.

The examining trial will be held Thursday of next week.

Sensational stories sent out that the trouble resulted from excitement over the judicial contest are denied by all who were present.

An open knife was picked up near the dead body of Mr. Keys.

### UP-TO-DATE OFFICE.

Western Union Makes Some Much  
Needed Improvements.

The local office of the Western Union Telegraph Company has been thoroughly renovated and repaired. The walls have been recovered with heavy burlap and repainted, new desks and tables have replaced the old outfit and the office is now one of the handsomest in the service.

### Mrs. Richardson Ill.

Mrs. Bettie Richardson is very ill of typhoid fever at her home near Gracey.

### SHOT HIS FATHER.

Tom Hill Attempts to Kill Bur-  
ton Hill.

The Victim Has a Fair Chance  
to Survive His Fearful  
Wounds.

Thos. M. Hill, a young man about 30 years old, shot and desperately wounded his father, Burton Hill, Friday afternoon, on the farm of R. B. Hall, six miles east of town.

The elder Hill was making his home temporarily with Mr. Hall, whom he told he intended leaving the country in a few days. Up to the time he went to Mr. Hall's, he had lived with his son, since coming from Tennessee. He formerly lived here, but had been away for several years.

Hill, Hall and others were burning a plant bed when Tom Hill appeared on the scene with a gun. He first said "good evening" to the crowd. The old man said "Howdy, Tom." Without further words Tom Hill raised the gun and shot his father, who was ten feet away. The first load, No. 7 shot, hit the old man in the neck and breast. He turned and ran fifteen or twenty steps, holding his left hand behind him as he ran. The son then fired the other barrel, No. 5 shot, which hit the victim's hand, tearing it to pieces and scattering shots finding lodgment in his back. The old man ran about 50 yards further and sat down and then lay down. Tom Hill walked away, after reloading his gun and went home, where he was arrested that night and lodged in jail.

Mr. Hall put the wounded man in a vehicle and sent him to town to receive surgical attention. He is now at T. B. Brown's boarding house on Jesup Avenue and is improving and has a fair chance to recover.

Surgeons amputated his left hand Saturday.

Tom Hill will remain in jail until the grand jury meets.

The elder Hill says that while at his son's house he suspected his wife and so told his son. A family quarrel ensued and the old man left. He is quoted as saying that his son's wife and her alleged paramour instigated his son to shoot him. He further says he hopes the grand jury will be light on his boy.

### CASH CARRIED OFF,

Says Plaintiff, In Her Petition for  
Divorce.

Jannett Carlton filed suit for divorce from A. C. Carlton. Plaintiff states in her petition that they were married Sept. 24, 1901 and on Nov. 7 of the same year defendant abandoned her, taking with him \$35 in cash earned by her before their marriage. She prays a divorce and asks that she be restored to her maiden name. She states that her husband is a non-resident, and is now living in Wheeling, West Virginia.

### SOUTH MAIN FIRE.

Residence and Its Contents Dam-  
aged by Flames.

Fire about 5 o'clock yesterday morning partially destroyed the residence of Mr. B. F. Cartwright, on South Main street. The building was owned by Mr. W. A. Wilgus and his loss is several hundred dollars. Mr. Cartwright's furniture was also damaged. The losses are fully covered by insurance.

The fire originated from a stove pipe in the kitchen. Mr. Cartwright's loss was adjusted yesterday by Higgins & Son, local agents.

### One For Hopkinsville.

Among the pensions granted last week was one for Richard L. Boulware, of Hopkinsville. The amount is \$8 per month.

## Just Received! 100

## Pieces of Matting

All Styles, Plain, Straw  
and Cotton Warped.

**T. M. Jones,**

Main Street.

Hopkinsville, Ky.

### IN QUARANTINE.

Three Hopkinsville Young Ladies  
Having Experience With  
Smallpox.

News comes from Pensacola, Fla., that smallpox is prevalent there and that Hopkinsville people are in the midst of it.

A youth named Williamson, who went with Mr. Wallace Warfield to Pensacola and boards in his family, has had the disease and Mr. Warfield's family and others in his house are quarantined. Misses Annie Warfield and Eloise Nelson, who have been spending the winter with his family, have been exposed. Mr. Warfield is a salesman in the store of Mr. O. L. Bass and Mr. Bass' little son, Oscar Bass, has the disease. Miss Cornie Green, of this city, is visiting the Misses Bass, and is also in quarantine.

### VICTIM OF CONSUMPTION.

Wife of Marion Conway Dies  
After Long Illness.

The wife of Mr. C. Marion Conway, who lives on the Butler road about six miles east of the city, died Friday, after a long illness, of consumption. She was about thirty years old and a member of the Baptist church. The remains were interred in the Ebenezer burying ground near Pilot Rock, Saturday afternoon.

### NEW TRIAL REFUSED

In Morrison Case and Defendant  
Prays Appeal.

In the criminal court in Nashville Saturday the motion of William Morrison, given twenty years in the penitentiary for the murder of Telegraph Operator Douglas Coffman, of Slaughter'sville, at Springfield, Tenn., was overruled, and an appeal to the Supreme Court was prayed.

### INDICTED FOR MURDER.

True Bill Returned Against Al-  
leged Slayer of Brame.

The Hopkins county grand jury returned an indictment for willful murder against Garth Thompson, col., who is charged with the killing of Jim Brame, col., of Beverly, Christmas. His trial is set for next Thursday.

### Fine Farm Sold.

Mr. B. C. Gregory has sold his farm, known as the J. B. Dade farm, to Nick Edwards, of Lafayette, for \$12,250. Possession to be given at once. Mr. Gregory will go into other business.

### Mrs. Breathitt Better.

Mrs. Jas. Breathitt, who has been very ill of erysipelas, is better. Her sister, Mrs. F. H. Bristow, of Elkton, has been at her bedside for several days.

### REGAINS LEAD.

Miss Ware's Friends Rally  
With 500 Votes!

Again in Front With Miss Baker  
Only 26 Votes Behind—

Total 19,226.

The votes are now coming in with a rush in our Popular Lady Contest and interest is increasing with every day. The contest has but 22 days more to run and there is no time to lose for those who expect to participate.

Friends of the contending young ladies are husbanding their resources and organizing for the final rush. The last official count will be made this week and the box cleared for the wind-up. Two ballot boxes have been filled since the last count. Many coupons are being gathered and held back. The final week will probably witness an exciting finish, with thousands of ballots cast.

If you owe for the paper, or want to pay one year or five years in advance, you can get twenty votes for every dollar paid on subscription. The standing ad on another page gives full details. The honor of winning the prize is one that the winner will be proud of as long as she lives and the premium itself is worth \$100 or more.

Watch your label and if your date is behind, get in the game and do it without delay.

Here is the way they stand this week:

Miss Tony Ware, city.....	4355
Miss Alberta Baker, Julien....	4329
Miss Daisy Rice, city.....	2646
Miss Essie Day, Crofton.....	2660
Miss Bessie Russell, city.....	1245
Miss Addie Broadly, city.....	999
Miss Mattie Purcell, Lafayette..	618
Miss Jean McKee, city.....	595
Miss Sarah Garnett, Pembroke..	460
Miss Sallie Tandy, Pembroke....	419
Miss Katie McDaniel, city.....	263
Miss Alice Scobey, city.....	161
Miss Annie M. Reynolds, county..	141
Miss Maude Dawson, Herndon..	92
Mrs. W. H. Jesup, city.....	81
Miss Louise Pace, Herndon....	48
Miss Nona Word, Beverly.....	21
Miss Jackie West, Beverly.....	7
Miss Dickie Pace, Herndon....	2

### GONE TO SANITARIUM.

Aged Civil Engineer in Rapidly  
Declining Health.

Mr. Charles Seymour, who has been residing in this city for several months and who has been in declining health for some time, went to Louisville last week to enter a sanitarium. Mr. Seymour was civil engineer for the L. & N. for many years and assisted in the survey when the line between Nashville and Henderson was established.